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## PART V

## SEASON REPORT, STATEMENT OF PRICES CURRENT, ETC.,

OFFICE OF THE STATE STATISTICIAN FOR MYSORE, BANGALORE.

## PART IV—WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

Model Form (D1).

Weekly Weather and Crop Report for the week ending Wednesday, the 25th November 1959.

No. of rainy days in the week	Rainfall in Millimetres				Condition of **							Remarks
	During the week		Since the beginning of the season*		Crop	Live-stock	Fodder	Water Supply				
	Actual	Normal	Actual	Normal								
(From 1-10-1959).												
1. Bangalore District.												
...	...	9.8	54.8	6.8	Fair except in Bangalore North, Bangalore South and Kanakapura Taluks.	Good	...	Available	...	Sufficient		
2. Kolar District.												
...	...	11.8	51.1	179.2	Fair except in Gudibanda, Mulbagal and Bagepalli Taluks where crops are reported to be not fair.	Good	...	Do	...	Sufficient except in (1) Bagepalli Taluk.	(1)	
3. Tumkur District.												
...	...	7.8	64.6	170.2	Fair except in Sira Taluk, where dry crops are reported to be not fair. Crops are poor in Koratagere and Madhugiri Taluks.	Good	...	Do	...	Sufficient except in (2) Madhugiri Taluk.	(2)	
4. Mysore District.												
Nil	Nil	9.4	108.2	196.5	Fair except in Mysore Taluk where G. Nut crop was reported to be not fair.	Good except at one village of Nanjangud Taluk where "H. S. disease" is prevailing.	...	Sufficient	...	Sufficient	(8)	
5. Mandya District.												
...	...	9.2	81.8	260.5	Fair	Good except at one village of Srirangapatna Taluk, where "Black Quarter" is prevailing.	...	Do	...	Do		
6. Hassan District.												
...	0.4	10.4	154.4	204.3	Fair	Good	...	Do	...	Do	(4)	
7. Chickmagalur District.												
...	...	7.8	128.4	201.5	Fair	Good	...	Do	...	Do	(5)	
8. Shimoga District.												
...	...	6.4	71.4	168.5	Fair	Good	...	Do	...	Do		

No. of rainy days in the week	Rainfall in Millimetres				Condition of **							Remarks
	During the week		Since the beginning of the season*		Crop	Live-stock	Fodder	Water supply				
	Actual	Normal	Actual	Normal								
9. Chitradurga District.												
...	...	6.5	45.0	141.6	Fair except in Molakalmuru, Chalkere and Chitradurga Taluks where crops are reported to be withering for want of rain.	Good	...	Available	...	Sufficient	...	(7)
10. Bellary District.												
...	...	N.A.	86.4	N.A.	Fair except in Hadagalli Taluk where it is reported G. Nut crops has failed.	Good	...	Do	...	Do	...	
11. Bijapur District.												
...	...	N.A.	48.8	N.A.	Fair except in Bagalkot Taluk where it is reported that K. Crops have failed. Crops are not fair in Badami, Muddebihal and Hungund Taluks.	Good except in Indi Taluk where "E. S. disease" is prevailing	...	Adequate except at one village of Bagalkot Taluk and at 3 villages of Hungund Taluk.	...	Adequate	...	(8)
12. Belgaum District.												
...	...	N.A.	86.2	N.A.	Fair except in some villages of Parasgad Taluk.	Good	...	Sufficient	...	Sufficient except at one village of Ramdurg Taluk.	...	
13. Dharwar District.												
Nil	0.4	N.A.	61.0	N.A.	Fair except in Gadag, Ron and Navalgund Taluks where crops are reported to be not fair.	Good except for the prevalence of "E. S. Disease" at one village of "Hirekerur" Taluk "Black Quarter" at one village of Gadag Taluk and other cattle diseases in Kundgol Taluk.	...	Sufficient except in Gadag Taluk.	...	Sufficient	...	(9)
14. North Kanara District.												
Nil	...	N.A.	109.2	N.A.	Fair	Good	...	Available	...	Do	...	(10)
15. Gulbarga District.												
...	1.5	N.A.	114.9	N.A.	Fair	Good	...	Do	...	Do	...	(11)
16. Raichur District.												
Nil	...	N.A.	12.7	N.A.	Fair except in Koppal and Sindhanur Taluks.	Good	...	Do	...	Do	...	(12)
17. Bidar District.												
...	...	N.A.	111.4	N.A.	Fair	Good	...	Do	...	Do	...	(13)
18. South Kanara District.												
Nil	Nil	N.A.	166.9	N.A.	Fair	Good	...	Do	...	Do	...	
19. Coorg District.												
Nil	Nil	93.4	175.1	186.7	Fair	Good	...	Do	...	Do	...	(14)

\* The date of the beginning of the season may be indicated.

#### EXPLANATIONS.

Remarks—(1) Refers to whole District except in Srinivasapur Taluk. (2) Refers to 8 Taluks. (3) Refers to 10 Taluks. (4) Refers to whole District except Arkalgud Taluk. (5) Refers to whole District except Koppa Taluk. (6) Refers to whole District except Srikaripur Taluk. (7) Refers to 8 Taluks. (8) Refers to 5 Taluks. (9) Refers to whole District except Hangal, Ranebennur and Mundargi Taluks. (10) Refers to 9 Taluks. (11) Refers to whole District except Shorapur Taluk. (12) Refers to 7 Taluks. (13) Refers to Bidar Taluk. (14) Refers to 7 Nads.

**General Weekly Summary of Mysore State for the Week ending Wednesday the 25th November 1959.**

Rainfall	Sowing/Trans- plantation	Condition of standing crops	Harvest	General pro- gress of agri- cultural operations	Water supply	Fodder and pasture	Condition of cattle				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8				
1. Bangalore District											
No rainfall except in Bangalore North Taluk.	Nil	...	...	Standing crops are fair except in Kanakapura and Bangalore South Taluk, where the crops are withering for want of rains and dry crops in some parts of Bangalore North Taluk have failed.	Harvesting of Ragi crop is in progress.	Progress is in 5 Taluks.	Sufficient	...	Sufficient	...	Generally healthy
2. Kolar District.											
Nil	...	Sowing and transplantation of vyanki Paddy is under progress in Chintamani Taluk.	Standing crops are fair except in Gudibanda Taluk, where crops are withering for want of rains. Ragi crop in Masur Taluk and dry crops in Bagelipalli Taluk are not fair.	Harvesting of Ragi in most of the Taluks, Ragi, Paddy in Kolar Taluk, Ragi, Groundnut in Gudibanda Taluk and of Sugarcane in Gauribidanur Taluk is in progress.	Agricultural operations are in progress.	Sufficient except in Bagelipalli Taluk.	Do	...	Do		
3. Tumkur District.											
Nil	...	Transplantation of Paddy is going on in Sira Taluk.	Standing crops are fair, but dry crops in Sira Taluk are withering for want of rains and the dry crops in Koratagere and Madhugiri Taluks are poor.	Harvesting of Ragi crop is in progress in most of the Taluks, Groundnut crop in Sira and Koratagere Taluks is being harvested.	...	Sufficient except from tanks of Madhugiri Taluk.	Do	...	Do		
4. Mysore District.											
Nil	...	Sowing of Karpaddy in Yeriyur Village of Yelandur Taluk and of Bengalgram in some parts of Kollegal Taluk is in progress.	Standing crops are fair except Groundnut crop in Mysore Taluk.	Cholam, Ragi, Samai in Kollegal Taluk; Ragi, Thorar, Groundnut in ChamaraJanagar Taluk; Ragi, Sugarcane in Yelandur Taluk; Paddy in K.R. Nagar and Nanjangud Taluks and Groundnut in Hunsur Taluk are being harvested.	Progressing in 4 Taluks.	Sufficient	...	Do	...	Generally healthy except for the prevalence of H.S. disease in one village of Nanjangud Taluk.	
5. Mandya District.											
Nil	...	Nil	...	Standing Paddy, Sugarcane and Ragi crops are in fair condition.	Sugarcane, Paddy and Ragi crops are being harvested.	Progressing in 3 Taluks.	Do	...	Do	...	Generally healthy except for the prevalence of Black Quarter in Hampapura Village of Sritangapattana Taluk.
6. Hassan District.											
No rainfall except in Mangarabad Taluk.	Nil	...	...	Standing Sugarcane, Paddy and Ragi crops are fair.	Ragi, Cotton in Arsikere Taluk; Paddy Ragi in Hassan Taluk and Paddy in some parts of Belur Taluk are being harvested.	Progressing in 4 Taluks.	Do	...	Do	...	Generally healthy

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
7. Chikmagalur District.							
Nil	Nil	Standing crops are fair	Paddy, Areca, Ragi and Sugarcane crops are being harvested.	Agricultural operations are in progress.	Sufficient	Sufficient	Generally healthy
8. Shimoga District.							
Nil	Sowing of Horsegram is under progress in Channagiri Taluk.	Standing crops are fair	Harvesting of Jola, Ragi, Paddy, Cotton in Channagiri Taluk; Jola, Ragi, Paddy in Honnali Taluk; Paddy, Ragi in Bhadravathi Taluk and of paddy in Sorab and Hosangar Taluks is in progress.	Agricultural operations are in progress.	Do	Do	Do
9. Chitradurga District.							
Nil	Transplantation of Paddy in Holahere Taluk is going on.	Standing crops are fair except in Challakere Taluk, where the dry crops have been affected for want of rainfall and in Molakalmuru and Chitradurga Taluks the dry crops are urgently in need of rains.	Ragi, Navane, Samat, Jowar, Bajra and Paddy Crops.	Agricultural operations are in progress.	Do	Do	Do
10. Bellary District.							
Nil	Nil	Standing crops are fair except in Hsdagalli Taluk, where Cholam and Groundnut crops have failed.	Jowar, Bajra, Korse and Groundnut crops.	Agricultural operations are in progress.	Do	Sufficient but Paddy is not available in Mallapur Taluk.	Do
11. Mysapur District.							
Nil	Nil	Standing crops are in need of rains in Badami, Muddebihal and Hingwad Taluks. Rharif Jowar, and Groundnut crops have failed in Bagalkot Taluk.	Harvesting of Jowar, Bajra and Groundnut is in progress in most of the Taluks.	Intercultural operations are in progress.	Adequate	Adequate, but scarcity for fodder is felt in some villages of Hingwad and Bagalkot Taluks.	Do
12. Belgaum District.							
Nil	Sowing of Pea, Gram, Maize and other pulses is going on in Belgaum Taluk.	The crops are fair except in some villages of Pansgaed Taluk, standing Rabi crops in Ramdurg Taluk are showing signs of withering.	Harvesting of Paddy in Khanspur Taluk; Jowar in Ramdurg Taluk; Groundnut in Hachori Taluk; Bajra and Groundnut in Athani and Halbhag Taluks is in progress.	Progressing in 4 Taluks.	Adequate, but scarcity is felt in one village of Ramdurg Taluk.	Available	Generally healthy, except for the prevalence of Epizootic in Mandawar Village of Athani Taluk.
13. Dharwar District.							
No rainfall except in Kalghatgi Taluk.	Nil	Standing crops are fair, except in Ron Taluk; where young Rabi crops are withering. Rharif crops in Gadag Taluk and Rharif Jowar crop in Navalgund Taluk have failed.	Harvesting of Paddy, Rharif Jowar, Chillies and Groundnut crops is in progress.	Sowing of Wheat, Gram and Rabi Jowar in Gadag Taluk is held up for want of rains.	Adequate except in 5 villages of Gadag Taluk.	Sufficient except in some parts of Gadag Taluk.	Generally healthy except for the prevalence of "H S. Disease" in one Village of Hristarur Taluk. "Backquarter" in one Village of Gadag Taluk and other "Cattle Disease" in one Village of Navalgund Taluk.

14. North Kanara District.												
NH	...	Sowing for Rabi crops has just commenced in Ankola Taluk.	Standing crops are fair	...	Harvesting of Paddy in most of the Taluks is in progress.	Progressing	...	Adequate	...	Adequate	...	Generally healthy
15. Gulbarga District.												
No rainfall except in Sedom Taluk.	Sowing of Rabi crops in Yadgir Taluk is in progress	Standing crops are fair, but Tur crop in Chinchoi Taluk is affected by worms.	Bajra, Kharif Jowar and Groundnut.	Agricultural operations are in progress in 4 Taluks.	Do	...	Do	...	Generally healthy			
16. Raichur District.												
NH	...	NH	...	The crops are fair except in Sindhanur and Koppal Taluks, where the crops are not fair.	Harvesting of Kharif crops is in progress.	Progressing in 5 Taluks.	Do	...	Do	...	Generally healthy	
17. Bidar District.												
Not received.												
18. South Kanara District.												
NH	...	Sowing and transplantation of R Paddy in Rarkal and Coondapur Taluks are in progress.	Standing crops are fair	...	Chillies and sweet potatoes are being harvested in Bantwal Taluk.	Progress is fair	...	Sufficient except in Udupi Taluk.	Adequate	...	Generally healthy	
19. Coorg District.												
NH	...	Completed	...	Fair	Picking of cardamom in Somavargat Taluk and of coffee in Ammashy Nad is in progress. Harvesting of paddy has commenced in Sanivarasanthe and Virajpet Nads.	...	...	Sufficient	...	Sufficient	...	Generally healthy

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Statement showing the wholesale prices of various commodities for the week ending 27th November 1959 at Mangalore.

Sl. No.	Commodity	Variety	Local unit of transaction (wholesale)	Its equivalent in terms of lbs.	Wholesale price per whole-sale local unit of transaction on 27th November 1959	Wholesale price per standard mound of 52 2/7 lbs. on (previous week)	Wholesale price per standard mound of 52 2/7 lbs. on (current week)	Reasons for variations over 10 per cent in the prices as compared with the previous week
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Paddy I Sort	Maskathi	Moor.	68-84 lbs.	Rs. nP. 10 75	...	...	...
2	II Sort	Guddu	"	"	10 35	...	...	...
3	III Sort	Suggi	"	"	10 00	...	...	...
4	Rice I Sort	Maskathi	"	86-4 lbs.	23 00	...	...	...
5	II Sort	Guddu	"	"	23 00	...	...	...
6	III Sort	Suggi	"	"	21 00	...	...	...
7	Ragi	"	"	84 lbs.	15 00	...	...	...
8	Cane jaggery	I Sort	Candy	560 lbs.	245 00	...	...	...
9	"	II Sort	"	"	240 00	...	...	...
10	Cocoanuts	Unhusked	1,000 Nuts	"	230 to 225 00	...	...	...
11	"	Husked	"	"	210 to 270 00	...	...	...
12	Copra	Office	Candy	700 lbs.	485 00	...	...	...
13	"	Divi	"	"	...	...	...	...
14	"	Dilpasand	"	"	605 00	...	...	...
15	Cocoanut Oil	"	Maurd	28 lbs.	I Class 84 00	...	...	...
16	Cashew Kernels	"	Cwt.	112 lbs.	220 to 235 00	...	...	...
17	Cashewnuts	"	Moor.	65 lbs.	...	...	...	...
18	"	"	"	672 "	185 to 145 00	...	...	...
19	Cardamoms	Mysore	Maurd	28 lbs.	280 to 355 00	...	...	...
20	Malabar Black Pepper	Coorg	"	28 "	225 to 245 00	...	...	...
21	Ginger	"	Cwt.	112 lbs.	2.0 to 214 00	...	...	...
22	Tobacco	"	"	"	...	...	...	...
23	"	Chewing	Maurd	28 lbs.	50 to 60 00	...	...	...
24	"	Snuff	"	"	75 to 80 00	...	...	...
25	"	Beedi	"	"	90 to 100 00	...	...	...
26	Arcoanuts	Unhusked	1,000 Nuts	"	25 to 35 00	...	...	...
27	"	Husked Old	Cwt.	112 lbs.	250 to 275 00	...	...	...
28	Gunny Bag	" New	"	"	191 to 215 00	...	...	...
29	Chillies	"	Each	...	...	...	...	...
30	"	Kumtha	Candy	560 lbs.	600 to 650 00	...	...	...
31	"	Local	Maurd	28 lbs.	42 to 43 00	...	...	...
	RETAIL PRICES.	Kasaragod	"	28 lbs.	82 to 33 00	...	...	...
	Tobacco	Chewing	Per lbs.	...	2 00	...	...	...
		Snuff	"	...	2 75	...	...	...
		Beedi	"	...	8 50	...	...	...
	CATTLE FOOD.							
	Groundnut Oil Cake	"	Bag	154 lbs.	22 to 21 50	...	...	...
	Cotton Seeds	"	"	140 lbs.	...	...	...	...
	Horsegram	"	"	275 lbs.	84 to 87 00	...	...	...

N.B.—columns (7) and (8) should be in terms of Rupees and naye paise.

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## MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

## NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE.

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1959.

The State remained free from Plague during the week. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1957 and 1958 were 2 attacks with 1 death and one attack with nil death respectively.

A total of 50 attacks with 9 deaths from Small-pox were reported from the Taluks of Hosanagar, Bigwadi, Jankhandi, Kanakapura, Bangarpet, Tirthahalli, Madur and Towns of Galag, Betgera, Shirahatti and in Kolar Gold Fields City.

A total of 1 attack with nil death from Cholera was reported from Hangund Taluk, Bijapur District.

A total of 2 attacks with nil death from Kyasanur Forest Disease was reported from Shimoga District.

The State remained free from Yellow Fever, Relapsing Fever, Influenza and Infectious Hepatitis.

The total mortality for Bangalore Corporation amounted to 226 (79 in hospitals) for the week, giving a calculated death-rate of 93.60 (excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated) as against 89 (59 excluding Hospital deaths) for the corresponding period of last year. Classified according to causes of deaths were 28 due to Dysentery and Diarrhoea, 1 due to Consumption and 197 due to All Other Causes.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 57 (13 in hospitals) for the week representing a calculated death-rate of 8.1 (6.2 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of

population (mid-year estimated) as against 6.1 (4.0 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding period of last year. Classified according to causes of deaths were 14 due to Other Fevers, 8 due to Dysentery and Diarrhoea, 2 due to Consumption, and 33 due to All Other Causes.

There were 19 deaths (3 in hospitals) for the week from all causes in Kolar Gold Fields City, equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 5.3 (4.5 excluding Hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated) as against 10.7 (3.3 excluding Hospital deaths) for the corresponding period of last year. Classified according to causes of deaths were 2 due to Dysentery and Diarrhoea, 2 due to Small-pox, 1 due to Consumption and 14 due to All Other Causes.

The total mortality for Belgaum City was 33 (19 in hospitals) for the week, representing a calculated death-rate of 15.0 (6.3 excluding Hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated) as against 16.5 (6.6 excluding Hospital deaths) for the corresponding period of last year. Classified according to causes of deaths were 1 due to Other Fevers, 1 due to Dysentery and Diarrhoea, 4 due to Consumption and 27 due to All Other Causes.

The total mortality for Mangalore City was 10 (nil in hospitals) for the week representing death rate of 3.2 (nil excluding Hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated) as against 5.0 (5.0 excluding Hospital deaths) for the corresponding period of last year. Classified according to causes of deaths were 1 due to Other Fevers, 1 due to Dysentery and Diarrhoea and 8 due to All Other Causes.

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